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5. 🚺 A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))

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6. 🗸 An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).

a is attached hereto.

b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

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An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98 and Form PTO-1449 An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.

A preliminary amendment.

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